Greg Fritz/DC/USEPA/US 09/23/2004 08:35 AM To Gautam Srinivasan/DC/USEPA/US@EPA Greg Schweer/DC/USEPA/US@EPA, John Blouin/DC/USEPA/US@EPA, Rich Leukroth/DC/USEPA/US@EPA bcc

Subject Re: Problems with Fluoropolymer ECA

This is a change that is consistent with documentation we had previously received; however, a change that got lost through the volumes of information. The chemical information used to make the initial list and the documents that were associated with that original list was provided to EPA by Industry and was used consistently to avoid version creep. The resulting ECA derived from that original list was sent to all interested parties for review (since the original information was not claimed as CBI) and came back without mention before the signature copy was sent out. We have confirmed that Dupont in there non-CBI table in the May 11, 2004 CBI correspondence (DCN-63040000035, in response to Mary Ellen Weber's Jan. 6, 2004 request for information) did inform EPA that they were using Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(pentafluoroethoxy)ethene (CAS Registry Number [31784-04-0]) only as a component of Composite 2, dry melt resins, with no mention of use as aqueous dispersions.

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